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In re the Application

Takahiro HAYASHI et al.

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10/082,250

Examiner:

V. PATEL

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For:

APPARATUS FOR GENERATING HYDROGEN GAS

NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision of the Primary Examiner dated September 9, 2005.

The \$500.00 Appeal Fee (\$250.00 Small Entity) is:

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	Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application with no Board Decision on the merits).

The shortened statutory period having expired <u>December 9</u>, 2005, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for two months. Included in our enclosed check is \$450 in payment of the fee for a two month extension of time for filing this Notice of Appeal.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this document are enclosed.

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